



DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As the below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, Post Office address and citizenship are as stated next to my name,

I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled GEOMETRIZATION FOR PATTERN RECOGNITION, DATA ANALYSIS, DATA MERGING, AND MULTIPLE CRITERIA DECISION MAKING the specification and claims having been filed July 30, 2003 and receiving United States Serial Number 10/632,000.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a).

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120 of any United States application listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

This application claims the benefit of Provisional Patent Application Ser. Nr. 60/399,122 filed 2002 July 30. This application claims the benefit of Provisional Patent Application Ser. Nr. 60/426,792 filed 2002 November 18.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

I hereby appoint the following attorney to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: **Keith A. Cushing, Registration No. 32,407.** I further appoint this same attorney to file and prosecute on my behalf corresponding applications in all countries of the world and in particular to file and prosecute on my behalf a corresponding application with the office of the Patent Cooperation Treaty. Address all telephone calls to: (503) 245-2558. Address all correspondence to: 4201 S.W. Vacuna St., Portland, Oregon, 97219.

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